## COVID-19 Weekly Update – September 3, 2020

- On September 1, the statewide COVID-19 positivity rate dipped below 10% for the first time since late June reporting a rate of 9.64% for Texas. In addition the rate for the Greater Houston Area as reported by the Texas Medical Center has also continued to drop. As of September 2, the TMC reported a positivity rate of 5.4%.
- The statewide number of new COVID-19 cases continues trending downward. On September 2, 4,157 new cases were reported which is approximately half as many as was reported at the beginning of August.
- Hospital ICU Capacity has remained relatively steady at or near full capacity for Phase I configurations. As of September 2, Phase I capacity was 99% full.
- End of Report



